IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE V.RAMKUMAR

THURSDAY, THE 22ND MARCH 2007 / 1ST CHAITHRA 1929

Bail Appl..No. 1719 of 2007()

Crime No.63/07 of Idukki Police Station

: PETITIONER/ACCUSED

K.J.VINCENT @ PAPPAN, AGED 52 YARS,
KUZHIKATTIL HOUSE, THADIYAMPADU, IDUKKI.

BY ADV. SRI.C.S.MANILAL

RESPONDENTS: COMPLAINANT

STATE OF KERALA, REPRESENTED BY
THE PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM.

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.JAI GEORGE

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 22/03/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

V. RAMKUMAR, J.

B.A. No. 1719 OF 2007

Dated this the 22nd day of March, 2007

O R D E R

Petitioner, who is the accused in Crime No.63/07 of Idukki Police Station for offences punishable under section 341, 294(b) and 506(i) IPC read with section 3(1)(x) of the Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989, seeks anticipatory bail.

2. Learned Public Prosecutor opposed the application.

3. Anticipatory bail cannot be granted in a case of this nature. But at the same time, I am inclined to permit the petitioner to surrender before the Investigating Officer for interrogation and then to have his application for regular bail ordered by the Magistrate concerned. Accordingly, the petitioner is directed to surrender before the Investigating Officer on any day between 27.3.2007 and 29.3.2007 for the purpose of interrogation. The petitioner shall, thereafter, be produced on the same day before the concerned Magistrate, who shall release him on bail on appropriate conditions.

This application is disposed of as above.

(V. RAMKUMAR, JUDGE)

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